



TYPES OF COMBAT ORDERS



- **Operation Order (OPORD)**
- **Service Support Order (SSORD)**
- **Movement Order**
- **Warning Order (WARNO)**
- **Fragmentary Order (FRAGO)**



DESIGNATION OF UNITS



- **10th Corps**
- **1st AF**
- **3d (GE) Corps**
- **1/A/1-77 Mech**
- **2-607 (155, SP) FA (Corps)**
- **A/1-40 FA**
- **1-5 AR (+)**
- **TF Smith**
- **TM Tank**



DESIGNATION OF PLACES/FEATURES



HILL 553

high ground at NB369246

**AA PINE, OBJ THUNDER, OR PL
SILVER**

EITERFELD (NB5622)

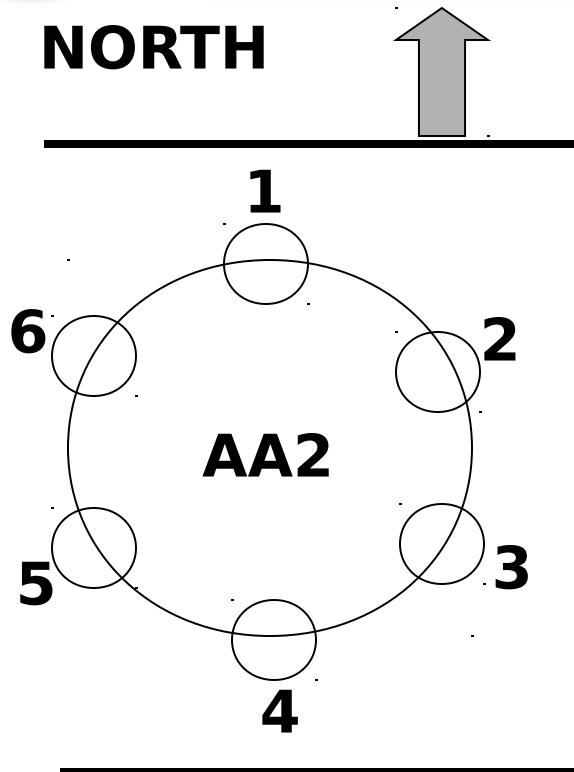
HILL 553 (NB5918)



GIVING DIRECTIONS IN OPORDS



NORTH



3
X
2

2
X
1

TF 1-

TF 1-

78 1-

78

TF 1-

77

FEBA

FEBA



DESIGNATION OF DATES AND TIMES



Designation

Date-Time-

Group

Date:

Time:

Examples

060800T Jan

2000

D+2

H+6

H-30 minutes



OPORD/OPLAN FORMAT- HEADING



(Classification)

**(Change from oral orders, if
any)**

Copy ____ of ____ copies

Issuing Headquarters

**Place of Issue
(Coordinates)**

**Date-Time-Group of
Signature**

**Message Reference
Number**

Operation Order # ____ (Code Name)

**References: [Map Series#(Name), Sheet #
(name), Edition#, Scale]**

Time Zone used throughout the order:

Task Organization:



TASK ORGANIZATION SEQUENCE



- 1. Maneuver Units (Task Forces/Teams, Infantry, Light Infantry, Mechanized, Motorized, Air Assault, Airborne, Armor, Aviation, Cavalry: Armored and Air).**
- 2. Artillery Units (Firing Batteries: Tube [self-propelled], Tube [Towed], Rockets, and Target Acquisition).**
- 3. CS Units by size of command echelon, then numerically, and then alphabetically.**
- 4. CSS Units by size of Command echelon, then numerically, and then alphabetically.**



TASK ORGANIZATION OUTLINE FORMAT



Task Organization:

TF ADAMS

1-10 AR (-)

C/1-92 IN

1/3/A/1-44 ADA

TM A/1/B/52 MI

TF 1-92

1-92 IN (-)

C/1-10 AR

**1/3/A/1-44 ADA
012200Z Sep**

TM B/1/B/52 MI

1-94 (+)

W371PC934MST-8

Arty

1-50 FA (155 SP) (DS)

Bde Troops

A/1-44 ADA (-)

3/C/1-44 ADA

A/52 ENG (DS)

1/52 CHEM CO

1/A/52 MI

1/B/52 MI (-)

1/52 MP CO (OPCON:

**Support Battalion
1 FSB**

1/A/752 MSG

Basic MOS: Commissioned Officer Course



OPORD/OPLAN FORMAT-BODY



- 1. Situation**
- 2. Mission**
- 3. Execution**
- 4. Service Support**
- 5. Command and
Signal**



FORMAT

PARAGRAPH 1. SITUATION



1. SITUATION

- a. Enemy forces. Annex B (Intelligence)**
- b. Friendly forces.**

(1) Mission, commander's intent, and concept of operations for headquarters two levels up.
level (2) (Same as "(1)" for headquarters one

- (3) Mission of unit on left flank.**
- (4) Mission of unit on right flank.**
- (5) Mission of unit to the front.**
- (6) Mission of unit to the rear.**
- (7) Mission of supporting elements.**
- (8) Mission of reinforcing elements.**

c. Attachments and detachments.

d. Assumptions (OPLANS ONLY).



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PARAGRAPH 2. MISSION



2. MISSION

IAW FM 101-5, page H-15, Figure H-3:

“State the mission derived during the planning process. There are no subparagraphs in a mission statement. The mission statement will cover on-order missions.”



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PARAGRAPH 3. EXECUTION



3. EXECUTION

Intent:

a. Concept of operations. Annex C (Operation Overlay).

(1) Maneuver.

(2) Fires. Annex D (Fire Support)

(3) Reconnaissance and Surveillance.

Annex L

(Reconnaissance and Surveillance).

(4) Intelligence. Annex B (Intelligence).

(5) Engineer. Annex F (Engineer).

(6) Air Defense. Annex G (Air Defense).

(7) Information Operations.

(8) Others as needed.



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PARAGRAPH 3. EXECUTION (cont)



- b. Tasks to maneuver units.**
 - (1) 1st Unit.**
 - (2) 2d Unit.**
- c. Tasks to combat support units.**
 - (1) Intelligence.**
 - (2) Engineer.**
 - a) Priorities of work.**
 - b) Environmental considerations.**
 - (3) Fire Support.**
 - a) Air support.**
 - b) Field artillery support.**
 - c) Naval gunfire support.**
 - d) Fire support coordinating measures.**



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PARAGRAPH 3. EXECUTION (cont)



- (4) Air Defense.**
 - a) Organization or combat.**
 - b) Missions.**
 - c) Priorities for protection.**
- (5) Signal.**
- (6) NBC.**
- (7) Provost Marshall.**
- (8) Psychological Operations (PSYOP).**
- (9) Civil-Military Operations.**



COORDINATING INSTRUCTIONS



- d. Coordinating instructions.**
 - (1) Time or condition when a plan or an order becomes effective.**
 - (2) CCIR.**
 - a) PIR.**
 - b) EEFI.**
 - c) FFIR.**
 - (3) Risk reduction control measures.**
 - (4) Rules of engagement (ROE).**
 - (5) Environmental considerations.**
 - (6) Force protection.**
 - (7) Any additional coordination instructions.**



PARAGRAPH 4. SERVICE SUPPORT



4. SERVICE SUPPORT

- a. Support concept (Annex I Service Support).**
- b. Materiel and services.**
- c. Medical evacuation and hospitalization.**
- d. Personnel**
- e. Civil-Military**
- f. As required.**



PARAGRAPH 5. COMMAND AND SIGNAL



5. COMMAND AND SIGNAL

a. Command.

(1) Main CP at NB297053; displace to NB170025 on order.

(2) TAC CP at NB398119; displace to NB296076 on order.

(3) Rear CP at NB131027; displace to NB081033 on order.

(4) Alt CP is 1-41 FA TOC (NB143098); displace to NB093077 on order.

b. Signal. (Annex H (Signal).

(1) SOI Index KTV 1600C in effect.

(2) Maintain radio listening silence until enemy contact.



FORMAT FOR OPORD ENDING



ACKNOWLEDGE:

**GARFIELD
COL**

OFFICIAL:

/s/HAYES

S3

ANNEXES: A Omitted.
B Intelligence.
separately C Operation Overlay (Issued
D Omitted.

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